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"Clans did not exist in this country (England) and the adherents of the Barons did not adopt the names of their feudal Suzerairs The surnames of England have descended lineally in families for remote generations and those which are found in the middle classes or lower, and which originally belonged to illustrious houses are with very few exceptions genuine beyond doubt".

"To say that a family is Norman is equivalent to saying that it is amongst the oldest of the old and the noblest of the noble."

Martin arms and crest, Volume 10, The Book of Pedigrees, Office of Arms, Dublin Castle, Ireland.

Granted to Sir Oliver Martin who accompanied Henry II. in the Conquest of Ireland, A. D. 1186, and who, in 1193, accompanied Richard Coeur de Leon to the Holy Wars in Palestine. Sir Oliver settled, after his last Crusade, in Galway, Ireland. See the "Martin Family", by George Castor Martin for ancestry of Sir Oliver Martin, and for other details not contained in this brief record.

Arms: Azure, a cross calvary or, on three grieces argent, in the dexter chief a sun in splendour of the second, and in the sinister chief an increscent of the third.
Crest: An estoile of six rays wavy or.
Motto: Sic itur ad astra. (In this manner to the stars, or, in this manner to heaven.)

MARTIN

1. David Martin, of Ballynahinch, Parish of Magheradrool, County of Down, Ireland, dated his will May 26th, 1713. His son:

2. Samuel Martin, married at Armagh, June 29th, 1710, Katherine Mitchell. Their son:

3. Richard Martin, was born at Ballynahinch, in 1738. He married a Miss Trotter, of Ballynahinch and Belfast, and removed to Armagh before 1760. He was killed June 13, 1798, at the Battle of Ballynahinch. A son of this couple was:

4. Samuel Martin, born May 2, 1760, in Armagh. He married his first cousin, Jane Trotter, and removed to Manchester, England, before 1792, and thence to Bolton-le-Moors, Lancashire, before 1805. Leaving his family in England, Samuel sailed to America in 1809, and opened a small textile mill in Frankford, Philadelphia. In 1812 he secured a government contract to manufacture blankets and thus founded his fortune. His mill burned down a few years later and he returned to England and retired. In 1828 he again came to America and brought his family with him. Samuel married Jane Trotter in Belfast, where he was then a manufacturer of linen. He died in 1829, and was buried in Old Laurel Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia. Samuel was one of the merchant-manufacturers of Belfast who issued his own money, token currency in silver and copper. These coins are now extremely rare. A son of this couple was:

5. Thomas Martin, who was born at Bolton-le-Moors, Lancashire, England, January 8, 1808. He married, May 10, 1835, in Philadelphia, Agnes

February 15, 1895. Issue by this marriage was:

(9) Mary Castor Ball Martin, born at "Allardyce", Asbury Park, New Jersey, April 5, 1913. She married Wendell H. Potter. No issue.

(10) Nellie Castor Allardyce Martin, born at "Allardyce", Asbury Park, New Jersey, January 6, 1916. She married, first, June 22, 1934, Ben M. Dorethy, of Rockport, Texas. No issue. She married, second, June 9, 1948, Vince B. Dushek. No issue.

(11) George Castor Martin, Jr., born at Bradley Beach, New Jersey, May 12, 1922. Of whom presently.

(12) Samuel Oldham Martin, born at San Antonio, Texas, April 30, 1924. Of whom presently.

(13) Thornley Martin, born at Rockport, Texas, March 7, 1929. Of whom presently.

8. Richard Allen Allardyce Martin was born at Asbury Park, New Jersey, July 15, 1907. He married, October 12, 1931, at Athol, Mass., Priscilla Starrett Ball, daughter of Frank Adelbert Ball and his wife, Ida Starrett, daughter of Leroy S. Starrett, who founded the L. S. Starrett Co. of Athol, Mass., The Union Twist Drill Co., The Athol Manufacturing Co., The Athol Machine and Foundry Co. and others. Through his mother, Richard descends from Cornelius Comegys, an early settler in Pennsylvania, who removed to Maryland. His wife, through her mother, who was Lydia Bartlett, descends from Josiah Bartlett, a Signer of the Declaration of Independence. Richard entered the United States Army December 31, 1942; was commissioned Second Lieutenant of Infantry, September 18, 1943; First Lieutenant, June 16, 1944; Captain, May 25, 1945; released from active duty February 25, 1946. Serial Number - O 1325096.

Thornley, who was born July 22, 1815, in Bolton-le-Moors, Lancashire, England. Thomas died June 10, 1877, his wife, Agnes, April 10, 1912. Thomas died in Philadelphia; Agnes, in Milton, Wisconsin. Both are interred in Cedar Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia. One of the sons of this couple was:

6. Richard Allen Martin, M. D., who was born in Philadelphia, Penna., October 2, 1858. He married at "Inwood", Estate of the Hon. George A. Castor, at Conshohocken, Pennsylvania, December 6, 1883, Nellie Mills Castor, who was born April 3, 1864. Richard died in Boston, Mass., March 17, 1890, Nellie in Bradley Beach, New Jersey, June 22, 1922. Both are interred in the Allardyce-Martin vault in North Cedar Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia. Nellie's second husband was William H. Allardyce, of Galveston, Texas; New York City; Asbury Park, New Jersey, and of Rockport, Texas, where he died October 27th, 1932. Children of Richard and Nellie were:

(7) I. George Castor Martin, born in New York City, March 30, 1885.

II. Richard Allen Martin, born in New York City, October 14, 1886; died at Jacksonville, Florida, December 20, 1907.

7. George Castor Martin, born in New York City, March 30, 1885. He married, first, at Asbury Park, New Jersey, September 22, 1906, Mildred Comegys, who was born July 22, 1886. Issue by this marriage was:

(8) Richard Allen Allardyce Martin, born at Asbury Park, New Jersey, July 15, 1907. Of whom presently.

George Castor Martin married, second, at Wilmington, Delaware, March 16, 1912, Viola Towers Coates, who was born in Frankford, Philadelphia,

February 15, 1895. Issue by this marriage was:

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Issue:

14. Richard Atherton Martin, born August 30, 1934, at Faulkner Hospital, Jamaica Plain, Massachussetts. Birth recorded at Boston, Massachussetts.

11. George Castor Martin, Jr., was born at Bradley Beach, New Jersey, May 12, 1922. He married, March 3, 1942, at San Antonio, Texas, Margie Bowles. George served in the United States Army Air Forces from June 10, 1943 to February 20, 1946, when he was honorably discharged with rank of sergeant. Serial Number 38 462 357.

Issue:

15. Lynda Beth Martin, born at San Antonio, Texas, April 28, 1944.

12. Samuel Oldham Martin was born at San Antonio, Texas, April 30, 1924. He served in the United States Army Air Forces from February 24, 1942 to February 9, 1945, when he was honorably discharged. His serial number was 38 454 779. He married while in the army, July 8, 1944, Henrietta Mabel Ford. The marriage took place at San Antonio, Texas.

Issue:

16. Cheryl Elaine Martin, born in San Antonio, Texas, March 5, 1946.

13. Thornley Martin was born at Rockport, Texas, March 7, 1929. She married at San Antonio, Texas, March 15, 1947, Denver Leon Mahan, who was born October 17, 1919.

Issue:

17. Mary Nell Mahan, born in San Antonio, Texas, December 13, 1947, a premature birth at the Medical and Surgical Hospital.

18. Patricia Elaine Mahan, born in San Antonio, Texas, April 19, 1949.

From publications of the Frankford Historical Society - - -

SAMUEL MARTIN, PROPRIETOR OF THE FIRST TEXTILE MILL IN FRANKFORD

By George Castor Martin

It was with considerable pleasure and no little benefit that I read Dr. William B. Dixon's excellent article on the Industrial Development of Frankford published in the last pamphlet of the Frankford Historical Society. There was, however, in Frankford, before the year 1812, a mill wherein blankets were woven, but, as it was founded before the time of any living man in Frankford, and went out of existence a few years later, it is doubtful if many of Frankford's citizens today ever heard of it or its founder.

Early in the year 1809, Samuel Martin, of Bolton-le-moors, Lancashire, leaving his family in England, came to Philadelphia and opened a small mill in Frankford. The site of the building is not known, but it was on or near Frankford Creek, and its principal product was woolen blankets.

For the first few years the business was not successful, but the War of 1812 gave the needed aid, Samuel Martin receiving a large contract from the Government. Shortly after the close of the war the mill caught fire and was completely destroyed, but, having made a considerable fortune in the few years of his prosperity, Samuel Martin did not rebuild the mill but returned to England, where he retired from active business.

Samuel Martin had nine sons, all brought up in the textile trade. In 1828 business in England became depressed. Mr. Martin returned to America. He brought six of his sons - - Richard, John, James, Robert, Joshua and Thomas - - and a daughter, Jane, with him. His sons went into business in a small way. Samuel died the following year, and was interred in Old Laurel Hill Cemetery.

In 1838, Samuel's fifth son, James, opened a dyeing and finishing works, described in Scharff and Westcott's "History of Philadelphia", Vol. 3, page 2318, as follows:

"The Richmond Dyeing and Finishing Works were established in 1838 on Richmond Road by James Martin, an experienced English dyer and weaver. In 1850 the works were removed to Richmond and Tioga Streets, where the introduction of machinery enabled the proprietor to carry on the business to an immense extent. Thomas Martin, a brother of the founder, James Martin, and Thomas J. Martin became members of the firm in 1851. The firm is now James Martin & Co."

TROTTER

1. Richard Trotter, an officer in the Irish Yeomanry, was of Tandragee, Mulla Villa Parish, County Armagh, Ireland. He married Mary Robeson.

A letter from Jennie Trotter (Jane)*, written in Dublin, Ireland, February 11, 1903, to Richard Allen Martin, of New York City, states that Richard Trotter descended from a branch of the family which lived in County Durham, in England. Their silver was all marked with the crest, "a trotting horse". A daughter of this couple was:

2. Jane Trotter, who was born in Armagh, Ireland. She married, in Armagh, her cousin, Samuel Martin. Jane was born either July 10, 1766, or August 8, 1766, the latter date being probably correct. She died in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and was interred with her husband in Laurel Hill Cemetery.

* This Jennie or Jane Trotter was closely related to the Jane Trotter No. 2 above, who married Samuel Martin, probably a daughter of a brother of Jane (No.2). This Jennie once visited the family of Thomas Martin (No.5), in Philadelphia. Correspondence was maintained between Jennie Trotter and Agnes Thornley Martin across the Atlantic for over seventy years. She was very old in 1903.

THORNLEY

1. John Thornley, of Bolton, Lancashire, had a brother, Cuthbert Thornley, of Little Bolton. John attended both Bolton Old Church and Dean Church, and was interred with his wife in the yard of one or the other of them. This information was supplied by his grand-daughter, Agnes Thornley Martin. John married Mary Robinson, who had a sister married to a man named Hallowell.

John's son:

2. James Thornley, was born in Bolton-le-Moors, Lancashire, in 1780, and died at Holmesburg, Pennsylvania, in the year 1852. He married Margaret, daughter of William Wilkinson and his wife, Anice Burroughs, both of Howell Croft, Bolton. James Thornley was an Episcopalian, as were his parents, but, while in America, where he went in 1811 and founded a mill in one of the New England States, he became a Unitarian. Where James located in New England is not known. He returned to England in 1814 where he remained until 1829. In that year he sailed to Philadelphia with his family. He settled in Holmesburg, Pennsylvania, and was, for a time, host of the "General Wayne Hotel" on the old Post Road from Philadelphia to New York (now Frankford Avenue).

In his work "The Bristol Pike", the Rev. S. F. Hotchkin says - - -

"The General Wayne Hotel. Charles Williams informs me that the General Wayne Hotel was kept by Mr. Matlack about 1828 or 1830. Jesse Duffield, James Thornley, Frederick and John Hall were successive hosts here."

James Thornley returned to the Episcopal Church and he and his wife are interred in Emmanuel Churchyard, Holmesburg. The Wilkinsons were Presbyterians.

The inscriptions on their tombstones read - - - -

James Thornley
A Native of England
Died 1852
Aged 72 years

Margaret Thornley
A Native of England
Died 1856
Aged 70 years

In the same lot lies Ann Holoway, a friend who accompanied James and his wife to America and who lived with them until death separated them. Ann was aunt of the celebrated Thomas Cole, artist, best known for his series of paintings "The Voyage of Life".

Ann's inscription reads - - - -

Ann Holoway
A Native of England
Died 1854
Aged 82 years

Issue of James and Margaret Thornley:

A. Mary Ann, who married James, son of Samuel Martin (no.4)
B. Lydia, born 1810, who married Richard Allen.
C. Edwin Wilkinson Thornley, who married Eliza Culmer.
3. Agnes, of whom presently.
D. John, born December 14, 1822.

3. Agnes Thornley was born in Bolton-le-Moors, Lancashire, England, July 22, 1815. She died April 10, 1912, at Milton, Wisconsin. Interrment was in Cedar Hill Cemetery, Frankford, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Agnes Thornley married Thomas Martin, Number 5.

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NOTE - - - Some Holmesburg data indicated that James Thornley and his wife, Margaret were natives of Yorkshire. Direct information given by Agnes Thornley Martin in 1903 corrects this. The Thornleys were originally of Cheshire, the main line of the estate of Eccleston in that County, and were well spread over both Lancashire and Yorkshire.

The Thornley arms and crest were granted December 8, 1655, by Edward Bysshe, Esq. "Garter Principall King of Armes of Englishmen", - - - - to Stephen Thornley of London, descended from the family of the Thornleys of Eccleston, in Cheshire.

Arms: Gules, two bars gemmels argent, a canton ermine.

Crest: A wolf's head couped ermine and collared with two barrulets gules.

Motto: None granted. <u>Famam extendere factis</u> (To extend fame by deeds) used.

From The Miscellanea Genealogica et Heraldica, Volume II., Second Series, page 294, London, 1888.

GRANT OF ARMS TO STEPHEN THORNLEY OF LONDON, 1655.

To all and singular to whom these presents shall come Edward Bysshe, Esq. Garter Principall King of Armes of Englishmen sendeth Greeting. Whereas antiently it hath been a custome and to this Day continued to all Estates and degrees of men have been and are distinguished each from other by sundry markes and signes commonly called armes being no otherwise then outward demonstrations and remembrances of inward worth of the bearers atcheived wither by their valour in the feild in time of Warr; or by their virtuous endeavours in the Commonwealth in time of Peace, to the end that it might the more stirre up and incite them & others to virtuous Atcheivments. And whereas Stephen Thornley Cittyzen and Goldsmith of London descended from the family of the Thornleys of Ecleston in Cheshire, a person well deserving hath requested me to assign unto him such Armes as hee & his Posterity may lawfully bear Know yee therefore that I the said Garter having seriously considered the Premisses do by these presents by the virtue of my said office grant & appoint unto the said Stephen Thornley & his Heires shall bear for his Arms Gules two barres gemelles Argent with a Canton Ermyn: And for his Crest upon a Wreathe of his Collours a Wolfe's head couped ermyne and collered with two Barrulets gules, mantled gules doubled Argent as in the Margent hereof is depicted. Which Armes and Crest before expressed I the said Garter by the said Authority annexed to my office as also by Letters Patents of my said office und^r the Great Seal of England do by these presents declare assigne give grant & confirm to the said Stephen Thornly and his heires to be by them and every of them borne with due differences according to the Law of Armes for ever. In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and put to the Seal of my office this eight day of December in the yeare of our Lord God one Thousand six hundred fifty and five.

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CASTOR

1. Hans (John) Gerster, was born and died in Basle, Switzerland. His son:

2. Hans Georg (John George) Gerster, later, in Pennsylvania, spelled his name Carster, Caster, and Castor. He was born in Basle, Switzerland, March 5, 1710, died December 29, 1797, at his home near Frankford, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. His wife, Eve, was born March 26, 1710, and died July 29, 1777. This couple came to America on the ship "Princess Agusta", Samuel Merchant, Master, of Rotterdam, last from Cowes, England, in 1736. See "Castor Genealogy" for further details. A son of this couple was:

3. George Castor, born December 14, 1736, and died May 25, 1811. He married, July 9, 1765, Margaret Shutterlee, who was born in 1744, and died August 16, 1811. A son of this couple was:

4. Matthias Castor, who was born November 19, 1763, and who died December 2nd, 1835. He married April 8, 1792, Rebecca, daughter of James Johnson. Rebecca was born December 20, 1744, and died August 16, 1811. A son of this couple was:

5. William Castor, who was born May 26, 1797, and died March 16, 1839. He married March 29, 1821, Elizabeth Northrup, who was born May 29, 1798 and died April 22, 1861. The Northrups were from Connecticut. Their son:

6. George Matthias Castor, was born December 25, 1830, and died May 16, 1880. He married July 12, 1854, Mary Elizabeth Mills, who was born February 19, 1838, and who died March 17, 1891. A daughter of this

couple was:

7. Nellie Mills Castor, born April 3, 1864. She died June 22, 1922, at Bradley Beach, New Jersey. She married, first, Dr. Richard Allen Martin, whose pedigree see, and, second, William H. Allardyce, of Galveston, Texas; New York City; Asbury Park, New Jersey, and of Rockport, Texas.

See "The Castor Family" by George Castor Martin, Frankford, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 1910, for further details.

MILLS

1. Adam Mills, of Yorkshire, England, had two sons who were killed at the battle of Waterloo, and a third son:

2. George Mills, who was born in Yorkshire, England, in 1790, and died in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, October 13, 1854. His son:

3. Joseph Mills, was born in 1816, and died February 28, 1879, in Philadelphia. He married in Philadelphia, in the year 1837, Hannah Burrage. See the Burrage pedigree. A daughter of this couple was:

4. Mary Elizabeth Mills, who was born February 19, 1838, and died March 17, 1891. She was born and died in Holmesburg, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. She is interred with her husband, George M. Castor, in Cedar Hill Cemetery, Frankford, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. See #6, Castor pedigree.

BURRAGE

The earliest member of this family of whom we have record was:

1. Robert Burrage, of Seething, Norfolk, England, who died in 1559. By his wife, Rose, he had a son:

2. Richard Burrage, of Seething. His son:

3. Thomas Burrage, was of Norton Subcourse, England. He was born on February 28, 1581, and married August 19, 1606, Frances Dey. He died March 2, 1632/3. The son of this couple was:

4. John Burrage, of Norton Subcourse. He was born April 10, 1616, and married in 1654-5, Joanna Stowers. He died October 19, 1685, in Boston, Massachussetts, where his wife died also December 25, 1689. John Burrage came to America in 1632 and settled in Charlestown, Mass. See The Burrage Memorial by Alvah A. Burrage, 1877, for details concerning the family. This couple had a son:

5. William Burrage, who was born at Charlestown, Massachussetts, June 10, 1657, and who died in 1720. He was of Boston. By his wife, Sarah, he had:

6. John Burrage, born in Boston, February 11, 1693. He was of Newton, Massachussetts, but died in Boston, January 24, 1765. His wife was Lydia Ward, whom he married October 9, 1718. See the Ward pedigree for further details. Their son:

7. William Burrage, was of Newton and Concord. He married December 13, 1744, Hannah Osland. Their son:

8. John Burrage, was born August 29, 1755, at Newton, and was known as "of Concord" in the Muster Rolls of the American Revolution. He married, at Lunenburg, Massachussetts, May 10, 1781, Lois Barthrick, who was born

in Lunenburg. After the Revolution John removed to Pennsylvania, but later returned to Massachussetts, where he resided at Milford. Family tradition has it that he was at the battles of both Lexington and Concord, but, if so, the Muster Roll of his company has not survived. After the battles mentioned he did enlist and the Massachussetts State Archives show that he served for eight months in 1775, reenlisted for one year on January 1, 1776, then again reenlisted for three years on January 1, 1777, but served three years, five months and twenty-seven days, a total service in the Continental Army of five years, one month and twenty-seven days. This covers his service as vouched for by the Muster Rolls in the Massachussetts State Archives. However, he had further service, possibly in the Federal Army, as Mrs. Bradley, a grand-daughter, stated: "He served nearly eight years, and it was while at home on a furlough that he was married. I have in my possession his Roll Book (he was an orderly sergeant in Captain Cushing's Company, the hymn book he carried in his pocket throughout the war, and $65 of the Continental money, in which he was paid off after the close of the war." See The Burrage Family in the American Revolution for further details, and for transcripts of the records in the Archives. A son of this couple was:

9. Thomas Burrage, born at Lunenburg, April 22, 1782. He died in Philadelphia, October 13, 1860. He married, December 31, 1812, Mary Howell, for whose record see Howell pedigree. Thomas Burrage fought in the War of 1812. His sword, short, heavy artillery type, was presented to Independence Hall Museum, Philadelphia. A daughter of this couple was:

10. Hannah Burrage, born June 11, 1818, died April, 1888. She married, in 1837, Joseph Mills, who was born in Yorkshire, England, in 1816, and who died in Philadelphia, February 28, 1879. See Mills pedigree.

ATHERTON

1. Edmund Atherton, of the family of Atherton of Atherton, and of Walton, both in Lancashire, England, died April 10, 1613. See New England Historic-Genealogical Register, which work contains an excellent account of the family in England. His son:

2. Humphrey Atherton, was born in 1609 and died September 16, 1661. He was of Dorchester, Massachussetts, and commanded the Suffolk Regiment with the title of Major. In 1646 he was Lieutenant, and, in 1650, Captain of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Boston, and before his death commanded all the troops of the Colony of Massachussetts. His headstone gives him the title of Major General. Humphrey Atherton married at the age of 14 years, his wife then 13, his wife, Mary Wales. He was killed by being thrown from his horse while reviewing his troops on Boston Common. Issue of this couple were:

I. Rest, born in 1639.
II. Increase (male).
III. Thankful (female).
IV. Hope, born in 1646.
V. Consider (male) born in 1651.
VI. Patience, born in 1654.
VII. Mary.
VIII. Katherine.
IX. Margaret.

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3. Margaret Atherton married James Trowbridge and died August 17, 1672. See Trowbridge pedigree.

TROWBRIDGE

1. John Trowbridge, his will proved May 20, 1756, at Hutton, Somersetshire, England, had a son:

2. Thomas Trowbridge, whose will was proved May 6, 1620. His son:

3. Edmund Trowbridge, married Jane _____, and was interred in Taunton, England. His son:

4. Thomas Trowbridge, came to America from Taunton, England, and was first reported in New England in 1636. He returned to England and died in Taunton on February 7, 1662. His son:

5. James Trowbridge, settled in Dorchester, Massachussetts, in 1636, where he became a Deacon in the church. One of his grand-daughters married the famous General Artemus Ward. James married Margaret Atherton. See Atherton pedigree. One of his daughters was:

6. Thankful Trowbridge, who was born March 4, 1688. She married on December 15, 1690, Richard Ward, and died September 17, 1742. She was interred at New Haven, Connecticut. See Ward pedigree.

WALES

1. John Wales, of Idle, was baptized in 1586-7. He had a son, Nathaniel Wales, who died December 4, 1661, in Boston, Massachussetts, and a daughter:

2. Mary Wales, who married Humphrey Atherton. See Atherton pedigree.

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OSLAND

1. Humphrey Osland, first of his name to come to America, married Elizabeth, daughter of the celebrated Reverend Samuel Hyde, and settled in Boston, Massachussetts. Their daughter:

2. Hannah Osland, was married, December 13, 1744, to William Burrage. See Burrage pedigree.

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STOWERS

1. Nicholas Stowers, with his wife, Amy, were of a party which settled at Salem, Massachussetts, on July 1, 1629. Nicholas died May 17, 1646, and Amy died February 2, 1667-8. Their daughter:

2. Joanna Stowers, married in 1654-5, John Burrage, and died in Boston, Massachussetts, December 25, 1689.

HOWELL

1. John Howell, was born in Aberystwyth, Cardiganshire, Wales, and died January 26, 1721, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. His son:

2. Jacob Howell, was born in Aberystwyth, Wales, March 18, 1687, and died March 17, 1768, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. By his first wife, Sarah Vernon, who was born February 13, 1681, and died January 13, 1759, he had a son:

3. Samuel Howell, who was born February 6, 1718, and who died September 16 or 17, 1780. He married, in 1743 or 1744, Anne, daughter of Hugh and Lowry (nee Wilson) Evans, of Chester County, Pennsylvania. Anne was born January 23, 1718. The son of this couple was:

4. Hugh Howell, who was born April 2, 1747, and died before June 11, 1787. He married, in 1780, Hannah Haydock. See Haydock pedigree. Hannah was born in Philadelphia in 1750. This couple had two daughters:

I. Elizabeth, born April 10, 1781, who married March 10,1803, William Wilson Longstreth, and died April 13, 1818.

II. Mary, of whom below.

5. Mary Howell was born at Westtown, Chester County, Pennsylvania, December 2, 1783, and died at Holmesburg, Pennsylvania, in 1819. She married, December 31, 1813, Thomas Burrage. See Burrage pedigree.

SAMUEL HOWELL

Samuel Howell was the leader of the commercial world in Philadelphia in his day. e was a hat manufacturer with his factory at the sign of "The Beaver", on Chestnut treet at the corner of Strawberry Alley, and was an importer of manufactured articles n a very large scale. His advertisements appear in all the newspapers of his day. He as a Quaker, and was very patriotic. His signature appears on many important historical ocuments beginning with the Non-Importation Agreement of October 25, 1765. This was ctually the open move in the American Revolution. He was a member of the committee to arry out the agreement. October 4, 1744, he was appointed to the Common Council of hiladelphia, then a lifetime office. June 18, 1744, he was appointed to the Committee f Correspondence which was charged with the banding of all of the colonies for con-erted action against the British. He was Deputy to the Provincial Conference of July 5, 1774. In October, 1775, he was selected by the Assembly as a member of the Comm-ittee of Safety, Benjamin Franklin at that time chosen to head the Committee, with Robert Morris as Vice-President. He remained on this Committee until it passed out of existence July 22, 1776. July 24, 1776, the Council of Safety was organized to take the place of the Committee of Safety and Samuel Howell was appointed thereto, but de-clined. May, 1776 he was elected to the Assembly of Philadelphia, receiving the high-est vote of the eight candidates. By election, February 14, 1777, he was chosen a Justice for Philadelphia, Lower Delaware Ward, and in 1778, was named Port Warden. In July, 1779, he was a member of the Committee to gather subscriptions for the carrying on of the war. Isaac Howell, a brother of Samuel, was also very prominent in Phila-delphia affairs, and signed much of the currency of the State of Pennsylvania before and after the American Revolution.

HUGH HOWELL

Hugh Howell, son of Samuel, a Quaker, was opposed to warfare, but, he took part in the American Revolution by manufacturing cannons, cannon-balls, and powder for the Continental Army. Record of his activities is found in the minutes of the Board of War, August 6, 1777, wherein Mr. Robert Towers was directed by the Board to deliver to Hugh Howell five hundred pounds of sulphur.

HAYDOCK

1. Roger Haydock was born January 3, 1643. His father, - - - - - - Haydock, died in 1670. Roger was born at Penketh, Wales, and was married June 3, 1682, to Eleanor Lowe. Their son:

2. Robert Haydock, was born at Penketh, Wales, January 11, 1687. He married, June 23, 1709, Rebecca, daughter of Daniel and Abigail Griffith. This couple landed in America at Wilmington, Delaware, in 1743 and remained there for one winter, then, establishing their son, Eden, in Philadelphia, removed to Flushing, Long Island, New York. This son:

3. Eden Haydock, was born at Penketh, Wales. He married, in Philadelphia, March 29, 1746, Elizabeth, daughter of Reuben Forster. Eden and his wife both died in 1776. A daughter:

4. Hannah Haydock, married Hugh Howell.

WARD

The first ancestor of this family to come to America was:

1. William Ward, who settled in Sudbury, Massachussetts, in the year 1639. One of his sons was killed in King Philip's War, 1675-6. His wife, Elizabeth, was born in 1613, and died December 9, 1700. William died August 10, 1687, and was interred at Marlborough, Massachussetts. The son of this couple:

2. John Ward, was born in 1626. In 1650, he married Hannah, daughter of Edmund Jackson, who was born in 1631, and who died April 24, 1704. John died July 8, 1708, and was interred at Newton, Massachussetts. He was a "Proprietor" of Sudbury. His home was used as a garrison in King Philip's War, 1675-6. A son of this couple was:

3. Richard Ward, a deacon of the church. He was born February 15, 1666, and died March 27, 1739, and was interred with his wife at Newton, Massachussetts. He married, December 15, 1690, Thankful Trowbridge, who was born in 1668, and who died September 17, 1742. See Trowbridge pedigree. A daughter of this couple was:

4. Lydia Ward, who married, October 9, 1718, John Burrage. See Burrage pedigree. Lydia was born August 13, 1692, and died in Boston, Massachussetts.